

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginsa 22313-1450 www.saylo.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.	
09/156,952	09/18/1998	ROY A. OSTGAARD	11.009011 US	1770	
41696 7590 12/18/2009 VISTA IP LAW GROUP LLP			EXAN	EXAMINER	
12930 Saratoga Avenue			HANDY, DWAYNE K		
Suite D-2 Saratoga, CA 9	95070		ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER	
			1797		
			MAIL DATE	DELIVERY MODE	
			12/18/2009	PAPER	

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.



United States Patent and Trademark Office

Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Jirginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

VISTA IP LAW GROUP LLP 12930 SARATOGA AVENUE SUITE D-2

Appeal No: 2010-001956 Application: 09/156,952

SARATOGA, CA 95070

Appellant: ROY A. OSTGAARD et al.

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences Docketing Notice

Application 09/156,952 was received from the Technology Center at the Board on December 14, 2009 and has been assigned Appeal No: 2010-001956.

A review of the file indicates that the following documents have been filed by appellant:

Appeal Brief filed on: December 21, 2006 Reply Brief filed on: July 13, 2006

Request for Hearing filed on: NONE

In all future communications regarding this appeal, please include both the application number and the appeal number.

The mailing address for the Board is:

BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

The facsimile number of the Board is 571-273-0052. Because of the heightened security in the Washington D.C. area, facsimile communications are recommended. Telephone inquiries can be made by calling 571-272-9797 and should be directed to a Program and Resource Administrator.

By order of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.